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In re application of

Docket No: Q66313

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Appln. No.: 09/937,130

Group Art Unit: 2861

Confirmation No.: 8010

Examiner: Anh Vo

Filed: January 29, 2002

For: INK CARTRIDGE FOR USE WITH RECORDING APPARATUS AND INK JET
RECORDING APPARATUS

RESPONSE TO ELECTION OF SPECIES REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

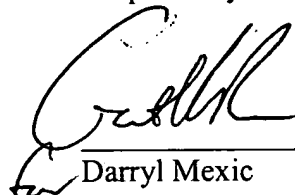
This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed on July 12, 2002, for the above-identified application.

Applicants elect Species 1, without traverse. The readable claims are claims 1-13.

Applicants reserve the right to file Divisional Applications directed to non-elected Species II - Species V.

Respectfully submitted,

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